

Washington State Department of Natural Resources

NATURAL RESOURCE INTERN, AGRICULTURE

(1 positions available)

Natural Resource Intern (Intern) positions are designed to give students majoring in Agriculture, Natural Resource Management or Range Management basic work experience in agriculture land and lease management.

OPENS: March 16, 2005

CLOSES: Open until filled

SALARY RANGE: \$1,634 - \$1,915 per month – Salary is based on each student's class standing

EMPLOYMENT TERM: Employment period June 1, 2005 to August 31, 2005 (timeframe is negotiable)

AGENCY PROFILE

The Department of Natural Resources is responsible for managing more than 5 million acres of forest, agriculture, urban, aquatic and conservation lands. DNR is divided into six management regions across the state, employing approximately 1,600 permanent and seasonal staff in more than 200 communities.

POSITION PROFILE:

Assist with field inspections and reporting of dryland and irrigated croplands in Grant and Douglas counties. Assist in rangeland inventory and monitoring. Gather leasehold improvement information for input into a computerized (GIS) database system. Conduct weed inspections and assist with other land management activities.

POSTION LOCATION: Ephrata work center - Ephrata, WA.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be a full-time student majoring in Agriculture or Natural Resource Management;
- A basic understanding of agriculture and map reading;
- Computer skills in word processing and spreadsheets;
- Experience with GIS and GPS are beneficial, but not required;
- Applicants must also have a valid drivers license and two years of driving experience.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Completed application packets will include:

- 1. Washington State Job Application;
- Supplemental Application form;
- 3. A photocopy of your current drivers license
- 4. Resume including 3 references.

Where to Submit Application Packets:

Completed application packets may sent to Sally Bollinger at sally.bollinger@wadnr.gov or SE Region, Human Resources Dept, 713 Bowers Road, Ellensburg WA 98926. Telephone number: 509-925-0918.